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THE NRO STAFF

MEMORANDUM FOR IC STAFF

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SUBJECT: DCI Briefing to the PFIAB

Per our conversation, attachment 1 is an information package the NRO provided to the PFIAB on August 30, 1983. This package was provided to support the PFIAB review of NRO Organization and Management; similar information was briefed to the study panel of the PFIAB on September 7, 1983. On August 18, 1983, we also presented a basis review of all NRO systems and future development plans to a Science and Technology study panel of the PFIAB.

For your information, Attachment 2 is a memorandum to the DEPSECDEF which requests his views on intelligence support to the military and notes that the Chairman, JCS will also be asked to discuss this subject. Attachment 3 is a talking paper prepared by the OSD staff which was used to discuss this subject with Mr. Thayer.

At our meetings with the PFIAB, the primary issues addressed were:

- a. How are DOD requirements for system development specified?
- b. How well are DOD/service priorities for system tasking met?
- c. What is the Defense Reconnaissance Support Program (DRSP) and how does it work?
- d. Are the provisions of E.O. 12333 on the DCI responsibility to develop procedures to transfer tasking authority to DOD being met?

Please let us know if you have any questions.

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3 Attachments

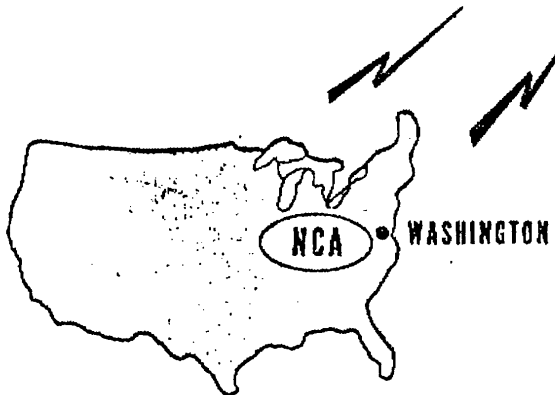
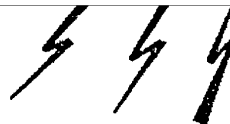
1. NRO Information package
2. PFIAB Ltr to DEPSECDEF
3. DOD Talking Paper

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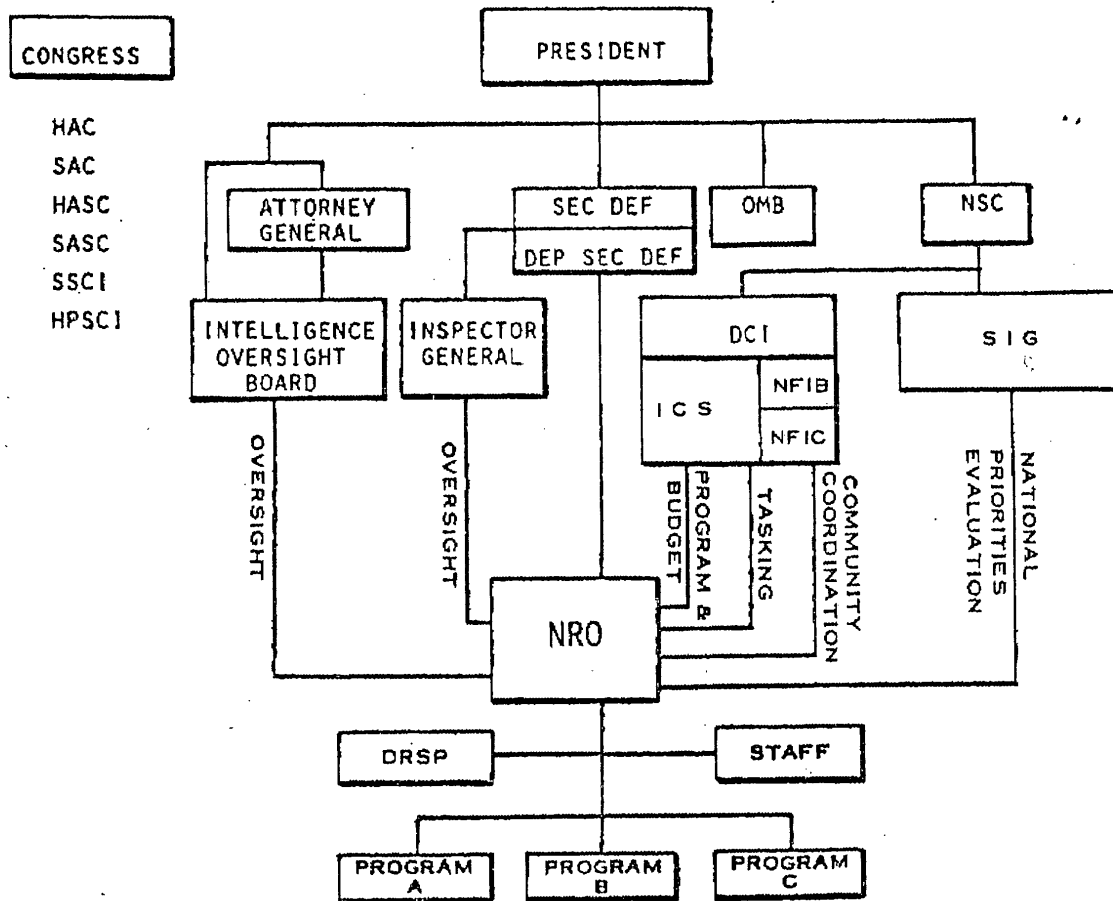
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THE NRP ORGANIZATIONAL ENVIRONMENT



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NATIONAL POLICY FOR SATELLITE RECONNAISSANCE

- SINGLE NATIONAL COVERT PROGRAM UNDER EXECUTIVE DIRECTION OF DOD THROUGH NRO
- SPECIAL MANAGEMENT ARRANGEMENTS DESIGNED TO ENHANCE ACHIEVEMENT OF PROGRAM OBJECTIVES AND COVERT OPERATIONS
- MAXIMIZE USE OF RESOURCES ASSIGNED TO NORMAL ORGANIZATIONAL ELEMENTS
- COMPARTMENTATION OF PROJECTS IN A SPECIAL SECURITY SYSTEM
- SUSTAIN FAVORABLE OPERATIONAL ENVIRONMENT BY AVOIDING PUBLICITY, OPEN DISCUSSION AND ACTIONS WHICH COULD LEAD TO INTERNATIONAL CONFRONTATIONS

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PROGRAM SCOPE

NATIONAL RECONNAISSANCE PROGRAM

(SATELLITE SYSTEMS)

RESEARCH

DEVELOPMENT

ACQUISITION

OPERATION

INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY

REQUIREMENTS

INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY

EXPLOITATION

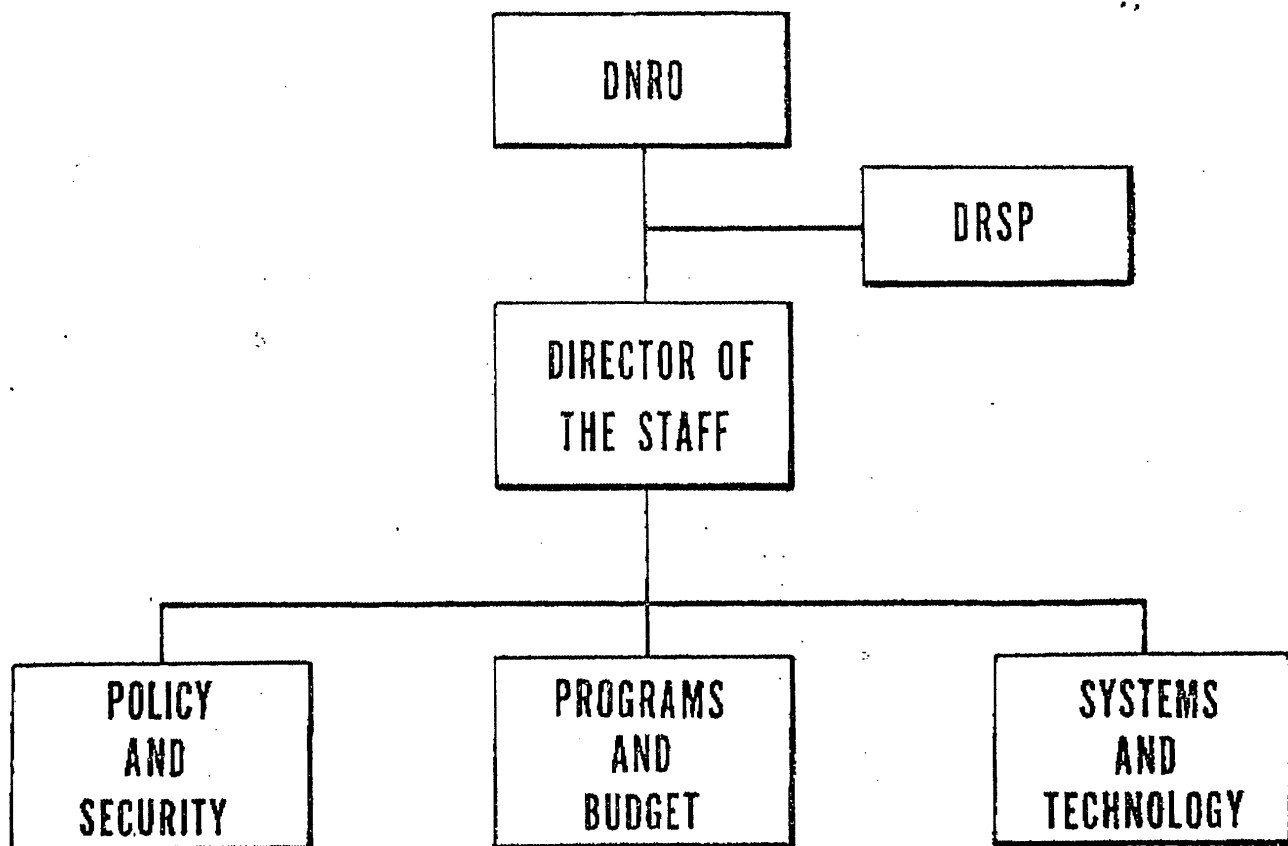
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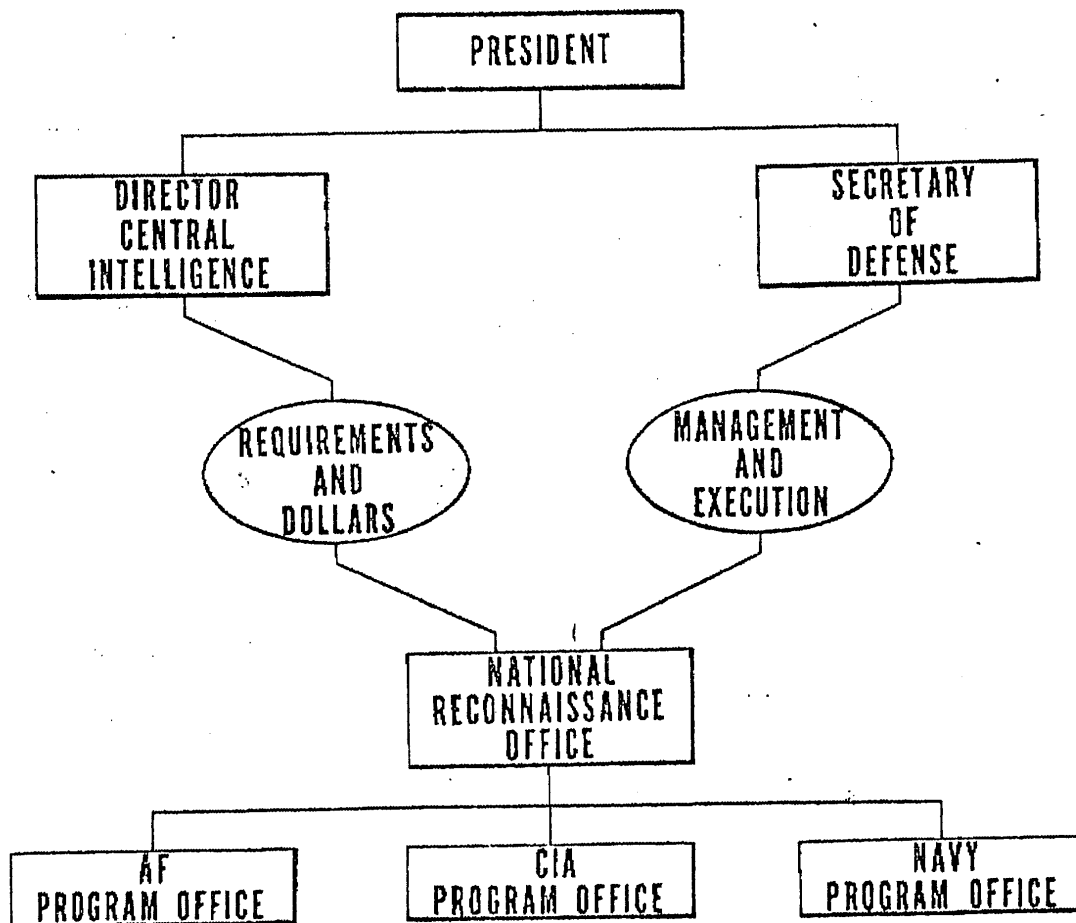
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NRO MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE



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